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Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed March 13, 2008, which set a one-month period for response that expired on April 13, 2008. Applicant Petitions for a One – Month Extension of Time, up to and including May 13, 2008, for the filing of this response. The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account 13-2755 for the Petition fee and any other fee(s) required. Examination is requested in view of the Remarks presented herein.

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